

FOES OF LEADERS CAUGHT NAPPING BY ELECTION LAW

Didn't Realize That Under
New Statute Organization
Primaries Are Held in Spring.

In the excitement of "kicking home" and throwing "hats in the ring," the local crop of annual candidates for district leadership seems to have been neglected. Under the new election law, after being amended by the Legislature and modified by the ruling of Supreme Court Justice Nathan Bijur, there will be no fall primaries this year for the election of district leaders.

Prospective district leaders are required under the Bijur ruling to make their names in New York County at the March primaries, when all party committees are to be elected. The law as submitted to Justice Bijur provided that party organization should be completed on March 26, 1912, in all counties in New York State, except New York County. Justice Bijur, in his recent decision, drew his pen through the exception and restricted the annual primary battles—the occasion of much bitter interparty strife and bloodshed in recent years—to the spring time, leaving election office primaries to the fall.

FIGHTS OF LAST FALL LEFT DEEP WOUNDS.

Last fall, in both parties, "desperate" contests for leadership were waged. None of the leaders was dethroned, but the struggles, as usual, left deep political wounds.

"It may be that budding district leaders, who plan fights on the organization, are waiting until the fall and are not acquainted with Justice Bijur's ruling," said one of the Tammany bosses to-day. "They only have until next Tuesday to fill their petitions. So far as I know there are rumors of war from only one side."

The only one of the twelve or thirteen primary contestants of last fall who seems to be alive to the provisions of the new law is James A. Hines, the "blacksmith" politician of the Nineteenth Assembly District, who has led annual fights against James Ahearn, the Tammany Hall leader there for several years. Hines had only to call his warring crew and set it to work. Unlike other aspirants for the leadership, Hines has a club house and an organization which has the experience of half a dozen primary struggles.

When the new law was read to the Monongahela-Hines followers by Edwin P. Kilroe, the club's lawyer, Hines got busy. Allies of Ahearn sought to end the long-drawn struggle by suggesting a compromise candidate, but the selections did not suit Ahearn and last night Ahearn again hurried his gaze of battle at Hines after a meeting of the Minutemen Club, the regular organization of the district.

AHEARN LOSES THE SUPPORT OF JOHN F. GALVIN.

Ahearn's attitude is said to have so displeased John F. Galvin, president of the Board of Water Supply, and others whose powerful help had saved Ahearn in the past, that Galvin has gone over to the Hines side. The defection of Galvin, it was stated to-day, would strip Ahearn of the water supply patronage, which has mainly kept the Minutemen in fighting trim.

The Hines faction set about to-day to complete their petition in Hines' behalf so as to have it filed by March 5. It was predicted by Hines' adherents to-day that Ahearn would not continue the fight against the allies of the Hines cause.

Reports that a contest may be started against Municipal Court Judge William E. Morris, the veteran leader of the Thirty-fifth Assembly District, in the Bronx, who, without seven consecutive political attacks, were dramatized to-day about Tammany Hall. According to Morris' friends he is willing to retire if the belated efforts of his detractors are able to agree on a compromise candidate acceptable to him. Morris' enemies are said to be ready to retire if elected to the bench and leave the picking of a successor to his committee.

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The GIMBEL MONTH-END SALE

Tomorrow and Thursday—In the SUBWAY STORE

It grows bigger and better each month. BIGGER in the sense of serving more and more people. BETTER in that it offers wider assortments of dependable merchandise in the 75 sections of this complete underprice store.

PRICES THE LOWEST OF THE ENTIRE MONTH

It matters not how low prices have been during the month—the Month-End Sale offerings must be still lower in price.

Women's Coats at \$3.95

Former prices \$7.50 and \$12.50. But only 45 coats in the group; full length coats, of black broadcloths; reversible coats, in such shades as brown and blue, red and tan, purple and gray; coats of shepherd checks; tan covert cloth coats and coats of gray mixed fabrics, all at \$3.95.

Women's Coats at \$8.75

Formerly \$12.50 to \$22.50. A miscellaneous collection, including velvet and broadcloth coats, reversible. Reversible coats in purple and gray and tan and brown, and coats of attractive mixtures. A fair assortment of sizes at \$8.75.

125 Women's Suits, \$6.95

That were \$10.75 to \$15.75. A variety of styles from our regular stock, such good materials as chevrons, mixtures, serges, shepherd checks; also 16 corduroy suits that were \$22.50; medium and heavy weight; nearly all sizes. \$6.95.

Tailored Suits at \$15
That were \$18.75 to \$37.50. 95 in the collection. Plain tailored and effectively trimmed models of mixtures, serges, diagonals and zibelines. Among the plain colors are navy, brown, gray, purple, also black.

312 Silk and Woolen Dresses, \$8.95

That were \$15.75 to \$10.75. Samples and our own stock reduced. Many styles with round, Dutch or high necks, prettily trimmed with satin, lace or embroidery. Navy, black, brown, wistaria and purple. Also a limited number of chiffon evening gowns; sizes 34 to 38 in the group.

65 Velvet Gowns, \$6.95

That were \$10.75 to \$16.50. Lace satin or braid trimmed, brown, navy, wine, purple and black.

129 Tailored Skirts, \$2.95

That were \$5 to \$6.75. 65 skirts of an all-wool, two-toned rough brown fabric; girder model and habit or panel back; fastened at the side, front, brown and tan. 29 skirts of Scotch mixtures. Lengths, 36 to 42 inches; waist bands, 22 to 27 inches; all at \$2.95.

Misses' Coats at \$5

Formerly \$10 to \$16.50. Limited quantities of coats of chevron cloth, broadcloth, chevrons and double faced fabrics. Many colors; sizes 16, 18 and 20, at \$5.

Misses' Suits, \$6.75

Formerly \$10 to \$15. Many styles of serges, broadcloths, zibelines and other fabrics. Sizes 14 to 18 in the group.

Misses' Coats at \$2

For girls of 13 to 15 years. Many styles of chevrons, serges and mixtures, formerly \$4 and \$5.

Children's Coats, \$1

That were \$2 and over, limited quantity of coats; mixtures, chevrons, and a few serges. Sizes 6 to 12. Children's Serge Dresses, \$1.60. That were more than double this price; mainly blues and browns; sizes 6 to 12 in the group.

Subway Store, Balcony

\$2.75 Batiste Robes, \$1.75
Daintily embroidered in such good colors as lavender, coral, light blue, Copenhagen, navy and pink, on fine quality batiste, at \$1.75.

16 and 18 Inch All-over Embroideries, usually \$3, at 25c yard.
40-Inch Dewdrop Chiffon, white, light blue, pink, lavender and Nile, usually 75c, at 35c.

500 Yards of Colored Lace Bandings, one to four inches wide, usually 10c to 25c, at 5c yard.

75c to \$1.25 Muslin Underwear, 50c.

550 pieces, women's combination garments, nightgowns in regular and extra sizes, drawers, chemises and corset covers, some slightly soiled; otherwise 75c to \$1.25 grades. 50c.

364 Corset Covers, of nainsook, with wide yoke of embroidery and ribbon, usually 35c, at 25c.

324 Black Moreen Petticoats, deep sectional flounce and underlay, 50c.

75c All-Silk Taffeta, 45c.

26 inches wide, and 20 desirable shades, for afternoon and evening wear. A splendid wearing quality and one of the most favored silks of the season. A remarkable offering at 45c.

Silk Remnants, 25c to 50c yard.

Largely waist and dress lengths, of plain and fancy silks, including taffetas, messalines, satins, foulards, pongees, and others; usually 40c to \$1, at 25c to 50c yard.

Dress Goods Remnants

Clearance to make room for Spring fabrics. Useful lengths of 2 to 7 yards. A great variety of weaves and colorings.

35c to 50c Dress Goods, 20c yard

75c to \$1 Dress Goods, 38c yard

Bearskin, Broadtail and Caracul Cloths, 55c
In lengths of 1 to 3 yards; white, black and a limited number of colors. Made to sell at \$2 and over, now 55c yard.

Subway Store, Lower Floor

25c Wash Goods, 12 1/2c
Voiles, white grounds with colored stripes, usually 25c at 12 1/2c.

13 1/2c Printed Dimities, stripes, check and floral patterns, at 8c.

Swiss chailies, light and dark grounds, figured and striped designs, 2 to 10 yds. p., usually 15c at 8c.

32 inch Oxford shirtings, light blue and tan, usually 25c at 10c yard.

Apron ginghams, brown and blue checks, usually 3c at 5c.

Remnants, mainly waist and dress lengths of 6 to 8 wash goods, at 4c yard.

Voile waist patterns, with dainty Swiss applique designs, on white and colored grounds, usually \$1 at 60c each.

Subway Store

Corsets, 75c Pair
Slightly discolored in some cases, otherwise \$1 to \$3 grades. The well known C-B Corset, in a great variety of good models; of strong cut, low bust and long hips for night figures, also models for medium and full figures; nicely finished with lace and embroidery; how supporters attached; sizes 18 to 30, at 75c pair.

Subway Store

This Is the Law of The Month-End Sale

Everything advertised must be decidedly under-price and everything must be materially lower in price than it has been previously during the month, even if it has been reduced in price before.

Men's Soft Hats, \$1

Many styles of cloth, plain and rough felt, in nearly all of the wanted shades and all sizes in the group, were \$1.50, \$2 and over, now \$1. Boys' Soft Hats, good colors, were \$1, now 85c.

Boys' Polo Caps, several styles, were 50c, now 25c.

Men's 25c Half Hose, 12 1/2c

Black, tan, navy, lavender and gray; medium weight cotton, at 12 1/2c pair.

Men's Suspenders, 12 1/2c

Made to sell for more than double this price; non-elastic webbing, with non-rusting buckles and strong leather ends; at 12 1/2c pair.

Men's Gloves, 50c

Men's One-Clasp Capeskin Gloves, slightly soiled; were 75c and \$1, now 50c.

Men's Capeskin and Suede Lined Gloves, tan and gray; were 75c, now 50c.

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Boys' Suede Gloves, lined, tan and gray; were 50c, now 25c.

Boys' Gauntlet Gloves, imitation fur back; were 75c, now 50c.

Children's Gloves, astrachan back; were 75c, now 25c.

Children's Gauntlets, buckskin and suede; were 50c to 75c, now 15c.

16c Ribbons, 10c yd.

All silk taffeta with a heavy edge in a variety of good colors, 4 1/2 inches wide, at 10c yd.

25c Ribbons at 15c yd.

Taffetas with a fancy edge and Roman striped designs, 4 1/2 and 4 3/4 inches wide. Subway Store, Lower Floor

Lingerie Waists At 75c

Made to sell at \$1.25 and \$1.50. A variety of pretty styles, of lawn and a limited number of voiles, trimmed with embroidery and laces; high neck, long or three-quarter sleeves; sizes 34 to 42 in the group.

Silk Waists at \$1.25

Made to sell at \$2.25 to \$3; of messaline, chiffon over net and a limited number of tulle; black, lavender, gray, brown and some navy. A variety of models; see like illustration. We advise an early selection. Subway Store, Balcony.

25c Neckwear, 12 1/2c

Lambrodered Collars, new patterns, usually 25c, at 12 1/2c.

White Chemisettes of Valenciennes lace or pique, usually 25c to 35c, at 15c.

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Hosiery and Underwear

Women's Cotton Stockings, fast black, full fashioned, usually 15c, at 12 1/2c pair.

Women's Undervests, sizes 4, 5 and 6; nicely trimmed, usually 15c, at 10c.

Handkerchiefs, 5c

Men's and Women's Colored Border Handkerchiefs, also women's cross-barred and Irish linen handkerchiefs, usually 10c to 12 1/2c, at 5c each.

35c Linings, 28c

2,000 yards of lining, seven, one yard wide, black and colors, 28c.

Dressmakers' Lining Cambric, all the wanted shades, 25 inches wide, usually 6c, at 4c yd.

Misses' Skirts, 85c

White Skirts, with deep tucked flounce and embroidered ruffle, 32 to 36 inch length, usually \$1, at 85c.

Princess Skirts, eight to fourteen years, white, pink and coral color, usually \$1, at 75c.

25c Aprons, 18c

Lawn Tea Aprons, round, with ruffles, pocket and wide strings, 18c.

Lawn Bretelle and Bib Aprons, 2 styles, at 18c.

Art Needlework

A collection of stamped cushion tops, centre pieces and bags, also Nottingham lace scarfs and squares, formerly 25c to 50c, at 15c.

Jordan Almonds, 22c

1,000 pounds of the very well-baked smooth Jordan almonds, in a variety of flavors, at 22c pound.

1,000 pounds Vassar Chocolate Fudge, 14c a pound.

Pure Hard Candies, in attractive metal containers, a big variety, 12c each.

Jewelry and Cutlery

Inlaid Barrettes, studded with rhinestones, imitation shell and amber, made to sell for 50c, now 25c.

Black Combs, of imitation shell and amber, effectively set with stones, made to sell for 75c, now 35c.

Unique Metal Watch Fobs, gold and oxidized silver plate, made to sell for 15c, now 10c.

Carving Knife, 2 pieces, were \$1.25 and \$1.75, now 75c to \$1.

3-Decor, were \$2 and \$3, now \$1.75 and \$2.

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\$12.50 and \$15 Overcoats and Suits for Men & Youths, \$7.50

Suits in a variety of good patterns, of worsteds, cassimeres and chevrons, sizes 31 to 38 for youths, 35 to 44 for men, at \$7.50.

Full Length Overcoats of soft warm fabrics, with convertible collars, also three-quarter length coats, in a variety of mixtures; all sizes at \$7.50.

Men's and Youths' Rubber Coats, \$2.50

Sizes 34 to 44, tan and grays, never sold for less than \$3.

Men's \$4.50 Trousers, \$2.50

Medium and dark striped patterns, 34 to 50 waist. Subway Store

Men's \$3.50 Low Shoes, \$1.75

The well-known Emerson Shoes. A great variety of styles and nearly all the wanted leathers, in tan and black. All sizes in the group, made to sell at \$3.50, now \$1.75.

Women's \$3 Sample Shoes, \$1

High shoes, in a great variety of styles, in nearly all leathers. Sizes 3 1/2 to 4 1/2, A and B widths. Also Oxfords and Pumps, in dozens of styles. Sizes 3 to 4 1/2, A and B widths, at \$1 a pair.

Misses' and Children's \$1.50 Shoes, 75c

Patent leather, in button or lace, all sizes. Subway Store

Boys' \$3 Suits, \$1.50